

Application No. 10/601,773
Amendment dated July 15, 2005
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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 22-29 were pending in this application. Claims 22, 23, 24, and 27 have been amended. No claims have been added or cancelled. Hence, claims 22-29 remain pending. Reconsideration of the subject application as amended is respectfully requested.

Claims 22-29 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over US Patent No. 6,014,569 to Bottum ("Bottum") in view of US Patent No. 6,389,463 to Bolas et al. ("Bolas").

Claims 22-29 stand rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1, 4-11 and 14-21 of US Patent No. 6,600,918 to Youngs et al. in view of Bolas.

Claims 22, 23, 24, and 27 have been amended to more clearly recite the Applicant's claimed invention, the support for which may be found at, for example, page 7 of the specification.

Double Patenting

The Applicants believe the amendments to claims 22, 23, 24, and 27 overcome the double patenting rejection.

Claim Rejections Under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a)

All independent claims are believed to include subject matter not taught or suggested by the cited references. For example, claim 22 includes "receiving a sequence of keystrokes from at least one wireless handset selecting a media program, wherein the sequence of keystrokes represent call letters associated with a radio station," which is not taught or suggest by the cited references. Bolass teaches sending a URL from an Internet Radio Receive to the media source. According to the Applicants' claimed invention, a user need not have a device

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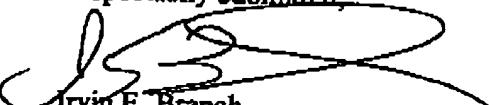
that converts call letters, channel numbers or frequency numbers to a URL. A user of the Applicants' claimed invention need only enter the channel, frequency, or call letters into a typical wireless handset to begin receiving the selected media program. Hence, claims 22, 23, 24, and 27 are believed to be allowable, at least for this reasons. The remaining claims depend from one of claims 22, 23, 24, and 27, and are believed to be allowable, at least for the same reasons.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 303-571-4000.

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